

News Advisory



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Dangerous Products that Endanger Children and the Elderly

"Recall Round-up" Media Event

WHAT: In order to rid consumers' homes of dangerous household products the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission is joining with the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, State Fire Marshal and the Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) in a "Recall Round-Up" product safety campaign. This is part of the seventh annual national effort to rid consumers' homes and thrift stores of previously recalled products that are still causing injuries and deaths. Senior citizens and children are especially at risk.

Hazardous and redesigned products will be on display. Video tapes will be distributed as well.

WHO: John Tennant, State Fire Marshal

California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection

Carol Monroe, Advisory Board Retired Senior Volunteer Program of Sacramento

Frank Nava, Director, Western Region U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission

WHEN: Tuesday, April 29, 2003 10:00 a.m.

WHERE: Sacramento County Department of Human Assistance

3727 Marconi Ave, Sacramento, CA 95821

Conference Room